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In re

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"NOVEL THERAPEUTICAL USE OF AGONIST
LIGANDS SPECIFIC TO G2A RECEPTOR"

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Sir:

In the matter of the above-identified application, and in response to the non-final Office Action mailed March 24, 2006, Applicants respectfully request entry of this Amendment, reconsideration on the merits of the Application, and allowance of the claims. This amendment is accompanied by a request for a three month extension of time and the requisite fee, extending the deadline for response to September 24, 2006.

This Amendment is also accompanied by the Declaration of Dr. Dong-Keun Song, M.D., Ph.D, under 37 CFR 1.132. Consideration of and entry of the Declaration into the record is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the **Listing of Claims** which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 6 of this paper.